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	STORAGE BATTERY, AND	:	(P23917-01)
	NICKEL-METAL HYDRIDE	:	
	STORAGE BATTERY	:	

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Although it is Applicants' opinion that the claims filed by way of amendment are substantially embraced in the statement of invention or in the claims originally filed, Applicant's herewith file a Supplemental Declaration for precautionary purposes under 37 CFR 1.67.

Respectfully submitted,

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